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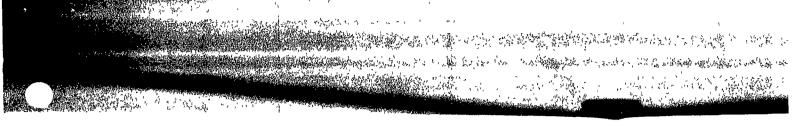
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An Act

Nov 27, 1979 [H R 4930]

Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1980, and for other purposes

Department of the Interior and related agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1980 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1980, and for other purposes, namely

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

LAND AND WATER RESOURCES

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

For expenses necessary for protection, use, improvement, development, disposal, cadastral surveying, classification, and performance of other functions, as authorized by law, in the management of lands and their resources under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management, \$301,896,000

ACQUISITION. CONSTRUCTION, AND MAINTENANCE

For acquisition of lands and interests therein, and construction and maintenance of buildings, recreation facilities, roads, trails, and appurtenant facilities, \$16,343,000, to remain available until expended

PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES

For expenses necessary to implement the Act of October 20, 1976 (31 U S C 1601), \$108,000,000, of which not to exceed \$315,000 shall be available for administrative expenses *Provided*, That this appropriation may be used to correct underpayments in the previous fiscal year to achieve equity among all qualified recipients.

OREGON AND CALIFORNIA GRANT LANDS

For expenses necessary for management, protection, and development of resources and for construction, operation, and maintenance of access roads, reforestation, and other improvements on the revested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands, on other Federal lands in the Oregon and California land-grant counties of Oregon, and on adjacent rights-of-way; and acquisition of lands or interests therein including existing connecting roads on or adjacent to such grant lands; an amount equivalent to 25 per centum of the aggregate of all receipts during the current fiscal year from the revested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands, to remain available until

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to inquire into the economic conditions affecting those industries; to promote health and safety in mines and the mineral industry through research; and for other related purposes as authorized by law, \$132,753,000, of which \$106,151,000 shall remain available until expended.

HELIUM FUND

Contract authority rescission 75 Stat 246 Contract authority for "Development and Operation of Helium Properties" provided by Public Law 87-122 for the fiscal year 1980 is rescinded in the amount of \$47,500,000

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISION

The Secretary is authorized to accept lands, buildings, equipment, and other contributions from public and private sources and to prosecute projects in cooperation with other agencies, Federal State, or private *Provided*. That the Bureau of Mines is authorized during the current fiscal year, to sell directly or through any Government agency, including corporations, any metal or n ineral product that may be manufactured in pilot plants operated by the Bureau of Mines, and the proceeds of such sales shall be covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts

Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

REGULATION AND TECHNOLOGY

30 USC 1201

For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, Public Law 95-87, \$84,687,000.

ABANDONED MINE RECLAMATION FUND

30 USC 1231 et

For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of title IV of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, Public Law 95-87, to remain available until expended, \$94,916,000 to be derived from receipts of the Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Bureau of Indian Affairs

OPERATION OF INDIAN PROGRAMS

For expenses necessary to provide education and welfare services for Indians, either directly or in cooperation with States and other organizations, including payment (in advance or from date of admission) of care, tuition, assistance, and other extenses of Indians in boarding homes, institutions, or schools; grants and other assistance to needy Indians, maintenance of law and order and payment of rewards for information or evidence concerning violations of law on Indian reservation lands or treaty fishing rights tribal use areas, management, development, improvement, and protection of resources and appurtenant facilities under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, including payment of irrigation assessments and charges, acquisition of water rights; advances for Indian industrial and business enterprises; operatio of Indian arts and crafts shops and museums; development of Indian arts and crafts, as authorized by law; and for the general administration of the Bureau

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25 USC 452-457

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of Indian Affairs, including such expenses in field offices, \$789,051,000 of which not to exceed \$58,753,000 for higher education scholarships and assistance to public schools under the Act of April 16, 1934, shall remain available for obligation until September 30, 1981, and the funds made available to tribes and tribal organizations through contracts authorized by the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act of 1975 (88 Stat 2203, 25 U.S.C. 450) shall remain available until September 30, 1981 Provided, That this carryover authority does not extend to programs directly operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and includes expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of section 19(a) of Public Law 93-531, \$5,485,000, to remain available until expended *Provided further*, That none of these funds shall be expended as matching funds for programs funded under section 103(a)(1)(B)(111) of the Vocational Education Act of 1963 as amended by the Act of June 3, 1977 (Public Law 95-40): Provided further, That, notwithstanding the provisions of section 6 of the Act of April 16, 1934 (48 Stat. 596), as added by section 202 of the Indian Education Assistance Act (88 Stat 2213, 2214, 25 USC. 457), funds appropriated pursuant to this or any other Act for fiscal years ending September 30 of 1979 and 1980 may be utilized to reimburse school districts for up to the full per capita cost of educating Indian students (1) who are normally residents of the State in which such school districts are located but do not normally reside in such districts, and (2) who are residing in Federal boarding facilities for the purpose of attending public schools within such districts.

CONSTRUCTION

For construction, major repair and improvement of irrigation and power systems, buildings, utilities, and other facilities, acquisition of lands and interests in land, preparation of lands for farming, and architectural and engineering services by contract, including a \$5,000,000 interest free loan to the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon to be repaid to the Revolving Fund for Loans established in the Bureau of Indian Affairs at the end of a 20-year period after the effective date of this Act, \$89,374,000, to remain available until e.pended *Provided*, That such amounts as may be available for the construction of the Navajo Indian Irrigation Project may be transferred to the Bureau of Reclamation

Transfer of funds

ROAD CONSTRUCTION

For construction of roads and bridges pursuant to authority contained in 23 U S.C. 203, and 25 U S.C. 13, 318a, \$66,479,000, to remain available until expended.

ALASKA NATIVE FUND

For transfer to the Alaska Native Fund, in the fourth quarter of fiscal year 1980, to provide for settlement of certain land claims by Natives and Native groups of Alaska, and for other purposes, based on aboriginal land claims, as authorized by the Act of December 18, 1971 (Public Law 92–203), \$30,000,000 *Provided*, That for purposes of meeting its obligation under section 6(a)(3) and section 9 of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act in connection with the requirement that \$500,000,000 be paid into the Alaska Native Fund, any and all revenues paid into such fund by the State of Alaska from sources other than those specified in section 9 of such Act shall, notwithstanding any other provision of law, be construed as payments by the

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43 USC 1601 note 43 USC 1605, 93 STAT. 964

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43 USC 1605, 1608 State of Alaska to the Fund within the meaning of sections 6(a)(3) and 9 of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act and credited toward the \$500,000,000 to be deposited in the Alaska Native Fund under such sections

TRIBAL TRUST FUNDS

In addition to the tribal funds authorized to be expended by existing law, there is hereby appropriated not to exceed \$3,000,000 from tribal funds not otherwise available for expenditure for the benefit of Indians and Indian tribes, including pay and travel expenses of employees, care, tuition, and other assistance to Indian children attending public and private schools (which may be paid in advance or from date of admission), purchase of land and improvements on land, title to which shall be taken in the name of the United States in trust for the tribe for which purchased, lease of lands and water rights, compensation and expenses of attorneys and other persons employed by Indian tribes under approved contracts, pay, travel, and other expenses of tribal officers, councils, and committees thereof, or other tribal organizations, including mileage for use of privately owned automobiles and per diem in lieu of subsistence at rates established administratively but not to exceed those applicable to civilian employees of the Government; relief of Indians, without regard to section 7 of the Act of May 27, 1930 (46 Stat. 391) including cash grants: *Provided*, That in addition to the amount appropriated herein, tribal funds may be advanced to Indian tribes during the current fiscal year for such purposes as may be designated by the governing body of the particular tribe involved and approved by the Secretary.

18 USC 4124 and note

SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA SETTLEMENT

92 Stat 851

92 Stat 854

92 Stat 851

For settlement of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation boundary dispute, pursuant to Public Law 95-399, \$1,965,000 to be paid to the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community and \$1.952,000 to be paid in accordance with the second sentence of section 5(b)(2) Provided, That notwithstanding any other provision of law, the payments provided herein shall constitute a complete release and satisfaction of any claim which any person may have against the United States, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community, or holder of any interest with respect to any right, title, or interest in any portion of the parceis of land described in paragraphs 1 through 9 of section 3(b) and/or subparagraphs (A), (B), or (C) of section 3(a)(2) of Public Law 95-399 which are located north of the boundary line referred in section 3(a)(2) of Public Law 95-399

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

Appropriations for the Bureau of Indian Affairs (except the revolving fund for loans) shall be available for expenses of exhibits; purchase of not to exceed 225 passenger carrying motor vehicles of which 122 shall be for replacement only, which may be used for the transportation of Indians, advance payments for services (including services which may extend beyond the current fiscal year) under contracts executed pursuant to the Act of June 4, 1936 (25 U.S.C 452), the Act of August 3, 1956 (25 U.S.C. 309), and legislation terminating Federal supervision over certain Indian tribes; and expenses required by continuing or permanent treaty provisions: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriations to the Bureau of Indian Affairs shall be

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available to continue academic and residential programs of the Chilocco and Seneca boarding schools, Oklahoma beyond June 15,

TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

Office of Territorial Affairs

ADMINISTRATION OF TERRITORIES

For expenses necessary for the administration of Territories under the jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior, \$86,661,000, of which (1) not to exceed \$82,589,000 shall be available for grants to the judiciary in American Samoa for compensation and expenses, as authorized by law (48 USC 1661(c)); grants to American Samoa, in addition to current local revenues, for support of governmental functions; grants to Guam, as authorized by law (48 USC 1428-1428e, Public Law 95-134, 91 Stat 1161, 1162, 1163; Public Law 95-348, 92 Stat 487, 488), grants to the Government of the Virgin Islands as authorized by law (Public Law 95-348, 92 Stat 490), expenses of the Northern Mariana Islands Federal Laws Commission as authorized by law (Public Law 94-241, 90 Stat 268), direct grants to the Government of the Northern Mariana Islands as authorized by law (Public Law 94-241, 90 Stat 272), to remain available until expended, and (2) not to exceed \$4,072,000 shall be available for expenses of the offices of the Government Comptroller for the Virgin Islands, the Government Comptroller for Guam, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, and the Northern Mariana Islands as authorized by law (Public Law 95-134, 91 Stat. 1161, 1162), and the Government Comptroller for American Samoa, and for salaries and expenses of the Office of Territorial Affairs: *Provided*, That the Territorial and local governments herein provided for are authorized to make purchases through the General Services Administration Provided further, That appropriations available for the administration of Territories may be expended for the purchase, charter, maintenance, and operation of surface vessels for official purposes and for commercial transportation purposes found by the Secretary to be necessary Provided further, That all financial transactions of the Territorial 48 USC 1469b and local governments herein provided for, including such transactions of all agencies or instrumentalities established or utilized by such governments, shall be audited by the General Accounting Office, in accordance with the provisions of the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921 (42 Stat. 23) as amended, and the Accounting and Auditing Act of 1950 (64 Stat 834): Provided further, That of the grants to the Government of the Virgin Islands appropriated herein, \$10,000,000 shall become available for obligation only in such amounts as may be equal to funds provided by the Government of the Virgin Islands when the Government Comptroller of the Virgin Islands shall certify that such funds are revenues of the Government of the Virgin Islands from new taxes or increased tax rates enacted subsequent to June 12, 1979

TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

For expenses necessary for the Department of the Interior in administration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands pursuant to the Trusteeship Agreement approved by joint resolution of July 18, 1947 (61 Stat. 397), and the Act of June 30, 1954 (68 Stat. 330), as 22 USC 287 note amended (90 Stat 299; 91 Stat 1159; 92 Stat. 495), grants for the expenses of the High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the

48 USC 1681 note 48 USC 1401f, 14231, 1665

48 USC 1470a

31 USC 65 note

48 USC 1681